
Secondary (High School) Students - Compliant Places of Residence



There are only two acceptable places of residence for foreign national secondary school students on an international visitors exchange program, according to 22 CFR Section 62.25 (a). Secondary School Exchange students may either reside with an American host family or at the residence hall or dormitory at the accredited U.S. boarding school where the student is studying. There are no other living facilities or arrangements, including but not limited to so-called international living facilities, that would be in compliance with the regulations.

Sponsors are also reminded that no more than two students may be placed with one host family. Such “double placements” require express prior written consent of the Department, and under no circumstance may more than two exchange students be placed with one host family.”